ONE YEAR \$1 50 SIX MONTHS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1896.

No matter whom it affects, purify the registration list. Keep the ballot above The offices may not go around this

year. But do not be uneasy. The candi-

It is stated from Washington that the idea has gotten up that way that Col. M. L. Donaldson, of Greenville, may be the non-bolting Reform candidate for Governor in this State

Senator John B. Gordon, of Georgia, has kindly remembered us again by mailing to our address eight valuable and interesting public documents. His fayors are highly appreciated.

The Cuban cause has at last been recogmized by Congress. The resolutions were passed last Monday by a vote of 244 to 27. It is the general opinion now that Cuba will soon gain her independence.

We have more respect for the voters who are coming out of the Democratic party boldly and joining the Silver party, than we have for those who advocate staying in the Democratic party and then bolt if they do not get a platform that suits them. The act of the former is more

The Southern States Magazine, of Baltimore, publishes reports from over 500 correspondents in all parts of the South us to the financial condition of farmers. "The reports show that the Southern farmers as a class are less burdened with debt than they have been at any previous time since the war."

The supreme court of Massachusetts says that a dressmaker ought to know the difference between the right and wrong side of cloth, and that if the garment is not made with the right side out, when no instructions to the contrary are given, the owner has a right to recover damages. The plaintiff in the case under consideration, whose dress was made wrong side out, obtained a verdict of \$20.

Like the threshing of old straw, the sifting of chaff, the controversy over the free and unlimited coinage of silver goes on. Men may come and men may go, but it goes on forever; and verily, it seems there are some men who think fifty-two cents worth of silver ought to buy a dollar. Why not make a penny worth a gold dollar? If the Government can do the former, why can it not do the latter?

The privilege tax fund from November last to the present time amounts to about \$46,000-nearly double the amount collected during the same months in 1894-95, and it is expected the entire amounts collected this year will be twice that collected last year. Clemson college receives the full benefit of this tax and this year will have an abundance of funds for use at the institution.

published a strong letter from Senator R. B. Watson, of Edgefield, advising the people of the State to stand to the Democratic party. He says if Tillman's advice is followed that "there will be a permaneut division of our white people and ultimately an appeal to the negro. It is a erime to bring about such a condition." Sinator Watson has been one of Tillman's strongest supporters in the past,

The growing infir mee of newspapers in school education was illustrated the other day at a conference of the Public Education Association in New York, when Miss Josephine C. Locke, supervisor of drawing in the public schools of or of drawing in the public schools of when several of his old servants were chicago, told how the children are being permitted to take a last look at his retrained to search the columns of the press in working on topics of a public nature. It should be one of the functions of every school to teach the children how to read a newspaper to the best advantage-and also what newspapers should be read.

Jefferson's birthday is to be generally celebrated this year. A circular letter has been sent out to the various Democratic clubs asking that the day be fittingly observed by all Democrats. It is needless to say that there is no Democrat worthy of the name who will not be glad to comply with the request. There is no special reason why the celebration should be confined to Democrats. Jefferson's memory deserves to be kept green in the heart of every true American, and, indeed, in the heart of every man who loves the principles of liberty which he did so much to establish-the rights of man, religious liberty, and universal ed-

On next Wednesday, 15th inst., at Spartanburg is to be held a convention for the purpose of planning for the collection of a State exhibit at the Chicago Southern States Exposition. It is a matter of much importance to South Carolina, and should evoke unbounded interest. Commissioner Roche has issued an address requesting Mayors of cities and towns to appoint three delegates to represent their respective municipalities. Manufacturing enterprises and railroad companies are also requested to send representatives. The Supervisor of each county of the State is requested to appoint one delegate to represent the agricultural interests. The exposition will afford unusual opportunity to the South to exhibit its attractions and resources. South Carolina should have a prominent place in the picture. We hope to see Mr. Roche's efforts zealously seconded by the people of the whole State. If we are to keep pace with the onward, upward movement of material progress throughout the South, we must be up and doing, neglecting no opportunity of showing to the world the advantages we can offer to capitalists and home-seekers.

Editors Intelligencer : Having lost several young hogs by a disease prevailing in my neighborhood, I carried one of them to Clemson College and had it examined by the State Veterinary, Dr. Wyman, who pronounced it a bad case of swine cholera. which, he says, is very contagious, and recommended that those having it should be removed from the others, and the dead treat the sick ones, as they rarely ever recover, but important that preventatives be used, a formula for which he gave me, which I have loft with all the druggists in the city, where the medicine can be se-B. F. CRAY ON.

- Few bananas are raised within the limits of the United States, only the extreme southern portions of Florida and California being available for ther culticilities for their importation, they are becoming so plentiful that new and hitherto undreamed-of uses are rapidly being found for them. A banana meal which stages. Banana skins contain a tough fibre from which the finest of cloth can be an indelible ink or fermented into good ri, Kentucky, Nebraska and other places.

Washington Times.

Capt. Hugh Robinson.

This valued and esteemed citizen of bbeville County, who lived near the Anderson County line, died last Saturday morning about two o'clock, after a painfull illness for more than a week from pneumonia. About three years ago he received a shock of paralysis, and for several days it was thought that he would die; but he recovered his consciousness, and became able to go about over his farm and work his garden, in which he took great delight, until pneumonia set in. He had lived to a ripe age being in the seventy-eighth year of his age, at the time of his death. In his death the County f Abbeville has lost one of her most of Abbeville has lost one of her most valuable citizens, the Church a strong support and his family an irreparable loss. For want of data it will be impossible to give anything like a perfect sketch of his life. He was born near Ghentsville, about three miles below Honea Path. His father having died while he was comparatively young, he was thrown prop his own resources. was thrown upon his own resources. fixedness of purpose, which characterized him through his long and useful life, he oon mastered the rudimentary branches. his business qualifications, combined with absolute honesty soon made him with absolute nonesty soon have him prominent in his section. Strong practical common sense was manifest in all of his conversations and he had a high appreciation of his duty as a citizen. He was a man of great modesty and firmness of character, and no one delighted more to welcome and entertain his guests and fetends, then he are a real pleasure. friends than he. It was a real pleasure to him to do so; and it was done without stentation He married the first time Mary Clinkscales, sister of the late Reubin Clinkscales, and settled near Level Land about 1840, where he engaged in farming and merchandising, and soon won the confidence of the community, by his purity of life, which he maintained to its

the war broke out, although past the age in which men were called upon to enlist, he offered his services to his country, and organized a company, many of whom organized a company, many of whom were his neighbor boys, who unanimously elected him Captain of Co. "I," 19th Regiment, S. C. V. After the campaign around Corinth, Miss., being broken down by the fatigue of camp life, and over the age required, he resigned his command and returned home to his family and farm that stood so much in need of his service. But when the Southneed of his service. But when the Southern cause had begun to be in desperate straits, and the further call for troops was made, he shouldered his gun and joined Keitt's Cavairy, with which he remained until Johnston's surrender, when, like others he returned to find his property. others, he returned to find his property swept away by the results of the war. Without fretting or complaining, he devoted his energies to his farm, and, altogether he had thousands of dollars owing to him, of which he never realized a cent, yet he met each and every obligation of his own, at the same time supportting and educating his large family of young children. For upward of fifty years he was a member of the Little River Baptist Church, and was one of its descons. He was always at his post of duty, identified with all of it work of mission and Christian benevolence, and was a constant and liberal suporter of the

His first wife, having died, some years before the breaking out of the war he married the second time, Mary J. Calaham. By these two marriages, he was the father of twenty-four chrildren, of whom four by his first wife and twelve by the last, in all sixteen children, and Robinson being the oldest of his first children, and two of his sons by the last marriage, Robert L. Robinson and W. E. derson. He was a kind, patient and af-fectionate father and husband, a friend to the poor and needy, an upright, Christian citizen in the full sense of the term.

While strong in his belief and convictions as a Baptist, he was charitable toward others, and conceeded to every man the right he claimed for himself, to think and act according to his connections. Never intolerant and abusive toward any one.

A few weeks before he took his bed, he went to one of his neighbors, who is a mechanic, selected the lumber, and instructed him how to make his coffin. Having put his house in order, "like one who wraps the drapery of his couch around him and lies down to sweet dreams," he sleeps until the morn of the

The funeral services took place at Little River church on Sunday, in the presence of a large assembly of neighbors, friends and relatives, being conducted by Rev. M. McGee. The services were solemn and impressive. The preacher took for his text the words: "Know ye not that a prince and a great man has this day fall-en in Israel." II Samuel 3 38. One of the most touching scenes was mains, and no higher tribute could have been paid to his kindness to the poor than the affection still cherished by his old servants, to whom, in the days of slavery, he was always kind and considerate. His sons bore the coffin to the grave, where it was taken in charge by the old soldiers and comrade-in-arms who, in silence, lowered it to its last rest ing place, and gently covered the grave.

The Veterans' Meeting.

Last Monday the Confederate Veterans of the County met in the Court House to elect two members of the County Board of Pensions under the recent Act of the

Capt. John W. Daniels was selected as Chairman of the meeting, and Mr. E. H. Shanklin Secretary. After taking the chair, Capt. Daniels, in a few appropriate remarks, thanked his old brother soldiers for the honor conferred upon him, and declared the meeting ready for business. By request Hon J. E. Breazeale came forward and explained the Act regarding the election of members of the County Board of Pensions.

On motion, it was decided to proceed with the election, and that after the first ballot, if not a majority of the whole number was cast for any one candidate, the other candidates be dropped and the four receiving the highest number of votes be balloted for in the second election. There were sixteen names placed in and capable of discharging the duties re uired of them.
While the ballots were being counted

on motion of Capt. B. C. Martin, it was agreed that after the meeting all of the old veterans would form in line, under command of Msj. G W. Cox, in front of the Court House, and give their names, Company and Regiment they belonged to. The tellers came in and announced that John T. Green had received 147 votes, which was a majority of the whole vote cast, and that Capt B. C. Martin and R. B. A. Robinson were the next two highest. Another ballot was ordered, which resulted in the election of Capt. Martin.

The following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted: Resolved, That we, the Confederate Veterans of the County of Anderson in Convention assembled, recognizing the respect shown by the late Legislature to the Confederate Veterans, do hereby tender to said body our thanks for the liberal appropriations made for pensions to the needy survivors and their widows and that a copy of this resolution be furnished the County papers for publica-

The meeting then adjourned, and forming in line, marched out in front of the Court House and were photographed by Mr. J. H. Collins. The veterans then gave the old "rebe yell" and broke ranks. There were nearly three hundred of them present, and the greater portion of them showed that they would soon "cross over the river and rest neath the shade of the trees."

Tillman Hears the Bee.

Senator Ben Tillman is a candidate for the Presidency. His boom has not yet been launched, but it will be very soon, and by the Senator himself. He has managed to make a tour of the Western States for the ostensible purpose of preaching the gospel of 16 to 1, but in reality to show the followers of the white metal a man who is built on fine Presidential

that if the Chicago convention fails to in-sert a free silver plank in its platform that the delegations from South Carolina and certain other States would bolt the be held in St. Louis in the middle of July and endorse the candidate nominated by that convention. Senator Tillman believes implicitly that he is the man to lead will keep as long as wheat flour and make an infinitely more nutritious bread, is promised for the immediate future. Ba-It is with a view of promoting his Presidential aspirations that Senator Tillman nana sausage and banana beer have idential aspirations that Senator Tillman successfully passed the experimental will leave here in about ten days to swing ground the Western circuit, where Populists and silver men are the thickest. His woven. The juice yielded by these same first speech will be made in Chicago, despised skins, during the process of ex-tracting their fibre, can be used either as the return trip make addresses in Missou-

Gantt Pumps Irby

Piedmont Headlight. Laurens county is now looked upon as the seat of political war in our State. So last Saturday the Headlight editor decided that he would visit that section and let our readers know the true situation. Senator Irby met us at the depot with his fine South Carolina raised team. The Senator is looking better than we have ever seen him, and was in fine spirits. He said he had been busy since his return home planting a big corn crop, and had not devoted any time or attention to politics. He rested his cause in the nands of the people, and if they did not want him to serve them in the Senate he would be content either to retire to private life

or work anywhere they put him.
We asked Selator Irby his views about
the proposed bolt at Chicago.
"Did you ever know a bolter to accom plish anything?" was his answer. "Bolters can tear down, but they never build up. They weaken or destroy the party from which they secede, but if you will examine the political history of the world you will not find a single instance in which bolters have ever been successful. And another thing you will seet bolters eventually return to the party from which they seceded. Take the Kauses populists, for instance. They slushed off from the Republican party, but after the spasm had passed returned to their allegiance; and were Populist Peffer to run for the Senate to-day he would not receive half a dozen votes. I am as attong a free sil-ver advocate," continued Senator Irby, "as any man in South Carol na. But we must bear in mind that the free silver plank is not all that constitutes the Democratic party. The Democratic party is the friend of the South, and when we destroy it, to fuse with western Republi-cans, we are simply paralizing our own prosperity. Why, even under the Cleve-land administration, the South has been purity of life, which he maintained to its close.

Before the war, he was honored by his fellow-citizen by his election to the office of captain of a Company of Volunteers under the old malitia laws. When the war broke out, although past the sea in which were bout although the sea in which were closely and administration, the South has been favored. The force bill was repealed, and other laws passed that were beneficial to our section. But let the Republic can party elect the President and Company of Volunteers under the old malitia laws. When believe that the free silver men will control the Chicago Convention. It is admitted in Washington that the so-called 'sound money' advocates cannot secure enough delegates to nominate a ticket or prevent the adoption of a platform en-dorsing bimetallism. I believe there will be a split when the Convention meets for the gold standard delegates will bolt should they fail to accomplish their ends. Then they will be the bolters and not our side. This is just what we want.

> "I do not know, but feel assured that the members will not countenance any-thing that looks like a bolt. I have simply published my views, and have made no attempt to influence any one. When the Committee meets, I shall state my position, and of course the other members will act as their judgment and pa-triotism dictates. South Carolina is prospering above all other Southern States, and I attribute it largely to the fact that we have remained in the Demo-cratic party. Our white people rule their State, and the Negro is eliminated from politics. We swe it to the poor white voters of South Carolina to pretect them from the political power of the Negroes; and this can only be done by remaining in the Damocratic party. We must remember that the colored vote largely out ns, and when our people split up and di-vide, you will see a scramble made for the colored vote, and Negroes will be enfranchised by the thousand. Then where will poor and uneducated white men bel I have never advised my people wrongly and never will. I have fought for the rights of the poor man, and snall never counsel anything that threatens his polit-

"Senator, what do you thing will be the action of our State Democratic Com-

cal sovereignty."
"Of course you are in the race for Sena-"I am. I see that an effort is being people have given the right to name United States Senators at the ballot box and this right shall never be taken from them if I can help it. A man who is afraid to face his people. And it has been reported," continued the Senator, "that I cannot carry my own county of Laurens. After dinner I will have my horses hitched up and take you to ride over a portion of Laurens, going in any direction you desire, and I will let you see for yourself how I stand at home. I have my enemies like every other public man, who takes a strong position in politics; but the great masses of the voters of Laurens are with me. I have not entered into a political coalition with any man, and nei-ther will I do so. I am a candidate on my own account. I am fighting no one. But I am not a straddler, and the people will always know just where to place

Senator Irby then branched out and discussed straddlers and fence-riders. He said he freely conceded the right of any one to oppose him, but he did not want any two-fated business. "A traddier," he explained, "is a weak man, who has not talent enough to defend his cause, and therefore resorts to doubledealing and hypocrisy. A man of brains has other weapons, and you will always find him taking a decided and firm stand After dinner, sitting behind the Sens tor's fine team, we started out on a ride

through the western portion of Lau-rens county, taking the old Greenville During our ride, we traveled forty niles, going one road, and returning by r. If that section is an index to the political sentiment of Laurens county, it is a waste of time to try to defeat Senator Irby at home. We stopped at a number houses, talked with the people, and hey all report the country as a unit for Irby. The people have named their ba-bles for him, and every man or lady h-passed on the read would halt him and nad some kind word to say. We never saw such unanimity and enthusiasm for a candidate. And parties tell us that the a candidate. And parties tell us that the other sections of Laurens are just as strong for Irby as this. So those who are predicting that Senator Irby will be turned down by his own people know not what they are talking about. If they will go into the country and talk with the farmers they will find that J. L. M. Irby is firmly anchored in their hearts.

Congressman Wilson is strong over in Congressman Wilson is strong over in Laurens, and the manner in which he handled Boutelle had made hira many new friends. He will have no opposi tion for te-election. It was reported that Mr. Patton, of Columbia, would oppose Mr. Wilson, but it would be folly for Mr. Patton to make the race. We heard in Spartanburg that there was ill feeling be-tween Senator Irby and Congressman Wilson, and we asked the Senator if there was any grounds for such a report. He

replied that there was not, so far as he knew; that just before he left Washington Mr. Wilson had a telk and parted on kind terms. He also said that there was no truth in the story that Tillman and himself did not speak as they passed "Why," he remarked, "Senator Tillman frequently comes to my seat and we talk Of course our relations are not so close as they once were, but we always speak when we meet, and freely discuss any measure relating to the good of our State. I tell you I am not making war on any one. I intend to discharge my duty by my people, and think and act

The people elected me to the Senate, and they are the only masters I own." Giving up the Fight.

Boston, Mass, March 30.—New England cotten mills are giving up the fight against competition in Georgia and the Carolinas and will soon cease to manufacture coarse cloths.

To-day the Lawrence Manufacturing of Lowell, one of the biggest plants in this section, stopped making cloth entirely. The directors decided to refund to the stock holders half of the capmake nothing but hosiery.

This is only the first of a series. Other New England mills will very soon have to shut down. Treasurer Baker of the Lawrence company says that this is a crisis which has been pending for three years. He says that the low wages paid for Southern mill labor is the cause of the trouble here. The cost of labor there is 30 per cent. lower than it is here. Con sequently the Southern manufacturers have an advantage over those of the North of from 1½ to 2 cents a pound. Carolinas and Georgia, although all the Southern States are manufacturing cotton.

The merry whistle of the plough boy Southern States are manufacturing cotton. Mr. Baker says that the Lawrence Manufacturing company never expects to return to the manufacture of coarse cottons, as there is such a surplus of labor in the South as to last for a generation at least, making it impossible for many years to manufacture here at a profit. He says that the Southern mills do not manufacture enough to supply the American trade, but they make enough to control the price and that the Northern mills have to meet it, and that manufacturing ful discourses on agriculture. in the South is increasing fast enough to bridge over the hard times is trading a April s, 1886.

A Few Stray Leaves From Old Roberts | dog for a bushel of corn. The dog has Church.

In the County of Anderson, S. C., about nine miles west of the city of Anderson, at intersection or crossing of six different roads, the old Presbyterian Church of Roberts was located more than a century ago by the Rev. John Simpson. This Church is still in existence and has a large membership. They have a fine brick building in good condition and capa ble of accommodating about three hundred and fifty to four hundred people After an absence from this Church and community of about twenty-five years, I find on visiting the old Church so many

new faces and so few of the old people who worshipped there at that time. I will only mention some of the older members, who I first met at this venerable Church, and whose presence always did me good: old 'Squire Ezekiel Norris, then more than three score and ten; Mr. Alex McClinton; old Uncle Andy McLess bent with age and more than four score; Uncle Jimmie McLees, although an old man. one of the most vigorous and zesious workers in the Church and a fine presiding officer, with strong executive ability, always ready for work; old Uncle Jeff McLees—what a grand old man, so full of love for his Church and his fellow man, love for his Church and his fellow man, always hunting up those in trouble and sfillction, and trying to turn their thoughts to a nigher power for comfort. How often have I heard the voice of this good man in the home of the poor ascending to God in prayer in their behalt. Oh! for more such men in every community. Col. F. E. Harrison—what a noble Christian gentleman he was Col. Harrison not only contributed freely and generously to every contributed freely and generously to every enterprise of his Church, but he was so full of love and sympathy for the poor that he always made them feel that they could never want if he was near them. He was truly the friend of the poor. Old Mr. David M Simpson, pious, Godly de-voted Christian! What an example to the rising generation. So full of devotion to his Saviour, he never missed a meeting of his Church, He would walk to Church, four miles, and then back home on Sun day. He always thought it wrong to make the horses work on Sanday if it could be avoided. Remember the Sabbath dey, he would always teach his children.

Of the middle aged men, Mr. Clark Dob bins, Mr. Brownlee, Mr. Charles Williford Mr. Sam'l, Humphreys, Mr. James Simp son. Dr. R. S. Haynie, and some others who I cannot now recollect. There were also a large number of ladies, relatives of those named above, that are not here now. Nearly all of these have crossed over the dark River, some have children still attending this old Church, but some have no one pere to represent them. As I walk through the old grave yard I see many familian names on the head stones and I wonder i

A Reply to "Citizen."

they are looking down on the old Church beckening to their loved ones to come up

names of those who were leading spirits in the days of the Revolution. I will try

and give a sketch of their lives in the near

I find in the old grave-yard the

EDITORS INTELLIGENCER: We as space in your columns to reply briefly to an article which appeared in your last isue signed "Citizen." This "citizen," this would-be calamity killer, makes some grievous charges and wonderful revelations, if the facts bear him out in his statements. But let us truth in what he has said, and whethe the facts warrant such statements. In says, in referring to a government distil-lery: "Previous to the inciplency of this grog shop, the tranquility of the Corner Township was never marred," and in the same paragraph, "the calmness of the Corner has been superseded by flagatious carousings and midnight marauders." 'Citizen' must certainly have but limited knowledge of the history of the Cor-ner Township. Whiskey has been un-lawfully sold there ever since the war, and the dockets of the United States Commissioners at Anderson and Pickens will bear me out in this statement. Besides my recollection is that from the close of the war in '65, to the enactment of the Dispensary law in '92, there had been eight homicides in that Township, and no one was punis for any law, if there has been any one killed in that Township we have not heard of it, We refer to these facts to show the ani reckless statements. And be does not ston Dispensary law and Senator Tillman show him to be a suitable connecting link be-tween the two disreputable places to which he refers. If he is so anxious that the law should be enforced, and that the morals of his community should be protected and improved, why does he not come out like a man and get up the evidence or assist the State Constables in violators of law to whom he has referred. But no, like the whining sycophant that he is, he prefers to misrepresent the Dis-pensary Law, reflect on Tillmanites and State officers, and last, but not least, to re-flect upon the morality and veracity of men in his community. laws and liars in Corner Township why did he not name them, and not do injustice to the good people there—as we know there are as good, truthful and high-toned citizens in that Township as are in the

State.
Besides, we will say for "Citizen's" benefit, that if he will manifest the same interest in working up cases against violators and in helping us to enforce the Dispensary Law, that he has in this general attack upon his neighbors and public officers, we will assure him good re-aults. One or two men in his Township with moral courage enough to openly opcose the violations of the liquor law, can, in a reasonable time, with the assistance of one of the State Constabulary rid the Community of the illicit sale of whiskey. "Citizen" has done a good work in bringing to public notice these violations of the law, but his manner of doing it is, in our judgment, deserving even more severe condemnation than we have given it. Now if he is really in earnest and dehear from him again, either by public or

Chief State Constable. Greenville, S. C., April 7th, 1895.

Lowndesville Locals.

Mr. Ernest Allen and sister, Miss Meta went to Anderson Friday by the dirt road. Miss Meta was on her way back to the Greenville Female College.

Misses Ethel Speer and Allie Fennel spent the night with the family of Capt. J. E. Brownlee.
Prof. J. J. Johnson gave holiday Fri-

day, and he and sister, Miss Nannie, went to Anderson Thursday night. One of our bright sports had heard that his best girl was going to spend the night at his home last Friday, and dressed up like a dude, but he watched in vain. You will have to wait, Ellis, until you get better authority.

There was an election held here to-day for an Intendent and four wardens. The young boys who have just reached the

age of twenty-one are making a great todo about it as this is their first time. We noticed in the last INTELLIGENCE on him and seems to think that it was un-fair because we were larger than he. How absurd! We have known him intimately for some time, but didn't know his cranium was so hollow. However

TOUCH-ME-NOT. Loyd Moorehead has returned from a visit to Willington. Some of these days "when the mists are rolled away." we will understand all about the little correspondents from this town; but not now—not now! Mr. D. L. Barnes lost a very fine hors last week. Baskin Sherard went up in the Corner

Mr. Jim Bowman, a rising young mer-chant from the Promise Land, was in and the fragrant incense of the flowers stir optimistic embers of the heart, and make one feel that life is worth the living "Pedro was in town Wednesday seeking what he may devour. Earnest Allen was a visitor to Ander-

son last week.

come bome, and the owner, perhaps, will trade him again to keep the wolf from the

The large number of citizens seen wobbling on our streets are not drunk. It is caused from walking on our unearthly sidewalks. We understand Anderson is to have another cotton mill. Editor of the In-TELLIGENCER will wax fat,

"Swamp Fox" has melancholia, better known as the "blue devils." He is tryknown as the "blue devils," He is trying to fly high since he got into his new
hole near the negro school, where the
little cow pea correspondent can play leap
frog with the teacher and students, and
also study English Grammar. "Swamp
For" is a small potato, most too small
for seed. We had not thought of waging war with any one, but since "Swamp Fex" has seen fit to step down and propose war to the knife, because we are baving a little fun without paying him a bonus for doing so, all we have to say is he can always find us, and also a forman worthy of his steel. "Let her go, Galla-gher!" RIP VAN WINKLE.

Holland's Store.

A number of our farmers are planting cotton this week A considerable quantity of corn has already been planted and more will be planted later.

The fruit, we think, is all right yet, other opinions to the contrary, notwith at anding. The warm days has caused vegetation to put on new life and the fisherman to be

ome reatless. The health of our neighborhood is good so far as we are informed.

Little Miss Lula Earle, of Walhalla, is on a visit to her grand-father's family, Rev. J R. Earle.
Miss Agnes Thompson has returned to her home at Fort Hill, after a protracted visit to relatives in this community. Mins Ella Little is on a visit to he brother's family at Honea Path The young ladies of our vicinity enjoyed pice social gathering and quilting at the

ome of Dr. Witherspoon one day last

week.

We have been asked to announce that there will be a service of song at Shiloh next Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m.

Lord Bronner, better known as Loyd Hammond, a colored man, living on Miss Julia Borongha' place, died the let inst, aged 83 years. He was widely known and highly e teemed by all, for his integrity, industry and thrift, together with a consistent Christian life. He was the last of his family, a daughter having died years ago, and his wife one year ago. As grain ripe for the harvest, he was called to his

Alice News.

Some of our farmers are planting cotton seed.

The union meeting at Rocky River Church last fifth Saturday and Sunday was well attended, and the exercises in-

eresting.
This section can boast of one of the ocated between Alice and Rocky River. The land was given by Mrs. Savannah Roe. It is furnished with patent desks and has a bell steeple, and will be known as Savannah Academy. The house was built by Mr. Brooks Galley at a cost of \$225. A first-class teacher will be wanted Miss Sallie Hall is in North Carolina

risiting her sister. Miss Nolie Hall is visiting friends at Messrs. Wells and Shirley, of Anderson and Nevs, respectively, have been in this section soliciting life insurance. Judge E. M. Snipes, of Anderson, was down last week fishing, but his luck was not good. Come again, Judge.

Miss Ella Townsend is visiting friends

n Georgia, Gov. Evans has appointed J. B. Adams f this place, a Notary Public. Miss Dessie Cann celebrated her birthay last week by giving a big dinner and quilting. Mr. Sam'l O. Jackson is doing some good work on the roads with the new food work of control of the control

Honea Path.

Gardening is now in order. Some people are planting cotton seed on red land. Too soon for sandy soil. Neary everybody has planted some corn. L. A. Brock is indisposed this week.

her stop?

J. B. Donald will compete for the prize offered by L A. & T. H. Brock for the largest yield of cotton per acre from the use of their fertilizer. The prize is \$25 00 Misses Annie Shirley, Mildred and

Blanche Cox and Sallie Watkins, of Lau-rens, spent Friday and Saturday in town, Mrs. Dr. Shirley and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Clink-Miss Fannie Watkins, of Anderson,

spent saurday with her sister, Mrs. Moore.
J. L Redden took in the County Seat vesterday. He was surprised to see the mprovements made in the last three A string band has been organized by our

soung men. We expect much sweet mu sic to be lost on the "desert air."

Dr. J. C. Harris, of Anderson, is here to day (Tuesday) in consultation with Drs. Shirley and Hough in regard to the case of Mrs. Jennie Sharp, whose condition is very serious. It is thought an operation will be necessary

The floral decorations for Easter services in the Methodist Church was very nicely arranged by the young ladies of that con

The Discovery Saved his Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beavers-ville. Ill, says: "To Dr. Kiog's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for ut, but of no avail and was given King's New Discovery in my store I sent first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at Hill Bros. Drug Store.

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NOTICE.

A LL persons are cautioned not to trade for a Note payable to E. T. Tollison for a Note payable to E T. Tollison for thirty dollars, dated in September 1894 Don't know exact date, as I never saw it nor did I sign it, and will not pay it unless compelled to do so.
L. C. CLINKSCALES. April 7, 1896

Attention, Pensioners! OTICE is hereby given that the Pension Board for Anderson County

will meet on Monday and Tuesday, the pensions under the recent Act will be required to make application to the Board at we will have to remind him that our of-fice hours for the reception of dudes is fice hours for the reception of dudes is fice hours for the reception of dudes is fice hours for the reception of dudes is fination. G. N. C. BOLEMAN, JOHN T GREEN. JAMES M PAYNE,

B C. MARTIN, R. S. CHESHIRE, County Board for Pensions. Teachers' Examination.

THE next regular Examination for license t teach in the public schools of this county will held on SATURDAY, APRIL 25th in-t, in the

Itst Friday.

Ask J. G. H. where he went last Sunday.

Mr. Tom Britt is visiting the family of Mr. B. Barry Ailen.

The hum of the saw can be heard on all sides.

Mr. D. L. Barnes paid his respects to Anderson last week.

Misses Eunna and Annie Clinkscales, two of our beautiful young ladies, spent a few days in Anderson last week with relatives.

Miss Sallie Mann, one of the Nation's most winsome buds, visited her friend, Miss Lillie Huckabee, this week.

Mr. Jim Bowman, a rising young merchant from the Promise Land, was in the plantic sendous disclosury will be held on SATURDAY, APRIL 25th in-t, in the benefit on Saturday April 25th in-t, in the benefit of sund the catly beginning at 9 o'cheka, m. and closing at 4 p. m. The following regulations were adopted at a called meeting of the Board of Examiners on March 28:

1 That the manuscript of any teacher known to have communicated with any person while on examination, unless by permission of some member of the Board, shall be rejected.

2. That any teacher known to have used any unfair means or in any way to have attempted to decide the privilege of standing any future examination before this Board

3. That after having seen the quesilons on any subject no teacher will be allowed to leave the examination room until the MS. on that subject is in the hands of the Board, and that only one teacher will be allowed to be absent from the room at the control of the control of the same of the public can be decided.

at once.

4. That the Board require all teachers, except those holding full diplomas from the institutions exempted by special Act, to stand examination before being granted any further license to teach 5 That this Board will not accept licenses grant 6 That this board will be accept rectains granted by any other county Board
6. That the Board hereby revokes all certificates previously Issued and Judged by the County School Commissioner under the ruling of the State Superintendent of Education to have been illegally Earnest Allen was a visitor to Anderson last week.

The season has at last arrived when the orator who does not know a side-hill plow from a bull frog will deliver teautiful discourses on agriculture.

The latest discovery of the cay to bridge over the hard times is trading a

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Yard-wide Percales, in remnants, fast colors, in beautiful Stripes and

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Silk Lustre Chambray-this fabric s equal to Silk in appearance, and is noted for its good washing qualities. They come in beautiful floral designs and solid colors. New York retail price 15c. Lesser's cut rate price 10c.

Nothing New under the Sun This is an exploded theory, because our new dress fabric called "Plisse" is the first ever known. We have

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ors, white ground, with sprays of

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60 pieces Wm. Simpson's Oil Dress

Prints, lovely patterns, best goods on

Ducks, Ducks.

Do not think we refer to fowls. Oh,

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Suitings. Our kind is soft and heavy

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How is This ?

10 pieces beautiful all-wool Black

Brocaded Brilliantine, 40 inches wide

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est Indigo Prints	
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pieces Penang, suitable for Waists	
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Shoes and Slippers.

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UNDER MASONIC TEMPLE

MINOR'S BUST

A Blud Vessel an Dropt Outen the Race

FER FAIM AN FORTUNE, but, thanks to the all-powerfull dollar, the gud and grate "TEN CENTS STORE" is still workin' fer bread. The thing has done ben did. Minor's men hev done got ther orders, an would dye

Smith says, "Minor don't no whin ter stop whin he gits started like this."

Johnsing says, "Let her go, Gallager." But Competition screams like a parrot in the claws of a hawk, "Let up on us, man, or we'll have broke bone fever."

Our answer comes like the piercing cry of the American Eagle as it sails from mountain peak to mountain peak, "We'll be first or not at all." Like the snort of the enraged he elephant as he rushes through the forest, demolishing such undergrowth as falls in his path, and spreading terror among the natives of the woods: "Here we plant our banner in the centre of this ring of prices into which no man can enter, and re acknowledge no competition." Like the roar of the lion, which proclaims him king of the forest, "We will-we do name the figures for this market, and sharp be tho man that can meet them and still live." Like the thunder that sends its bolt crashing through space, sparing no obstacle but scattering devastation in its course, we proclaim to bewildered competition, "Stand aside, man, or you'll be hurled from your exalted post in the mercantile world to the siaks of oblivion in the realms of the forgotten."

We are now naming Spring prices that are as young and fresh as Spring chickens. They are as I ew to the world as they are to you.

Gentlemen and Ladies, we first call your attention to our young Mr. Cheshire, delicate and frail as you see, but of dashing bravery, and cuts a broad swath with a jack-knife when ordered to use the weapon. His nerves are somewhat shattered, as you notice, the effect of a stroke of paralysis, caused dy astonishment at prices which he is ordered to make on his line of Tinware, from garret to cellar. Don't be excited, but watch the Proffessor:

Coffee Pots first, please. Well, here's one for 5c., and a larger one for 6c., 2 qt. short 7c., 2 qt. regular 8c., 3 qt. 10c., 4 qt. 12c.. 6 qt. 15c. Happy Bob, you can't hev the hart to ju him now. Dish Pans next—here tha air— Block Tin fust: In Plain Tin we will give you the 7 qt. for 9c, 10 qt. 10c., 14 qt. 13c, 17 qt. 15c. Double-coated Block Tin Dish Paus 8 qt. 14c., 10 qt. 15c, 17 qt. 18c., 12 pt. 25c., extra heavy old-fashion 17 and 21 qts. 30c. each. Pieced Dish Pans 8 qt 9c., 10 qt 10c., 12 qt. 13c., 14 qt. 15c., 16 qt. 18c. Extra deep (chicken) Pie Pans 2c., 1 qt. 2 1-2c., 2 qt. 3c., 4 qt. 4c., 6 qt. 6c, 8 qt. 8c., 10 qt. 9c, double-coated 8 qt. 12c, heavy pieced 4 qt 8c. Tin Cups—half pint 4 for 5c., pint 5 for 5c., 1 qt. 3c., 2 qt. 5c. Lipped Seal Measure 1 qt. 4c., half gal. 7c., 1 gal. 12c. Covered Buckers 1 qt. 3c., 3 pt. 4c, 2 qt. 5c., 3 qt 8c., 4 qt. 10c., 6 qt. 12c, 8 qt. 15c., 10 qt. 18c., 12 qt. 20c. Biscuit Cutters 2c. each. Pie Plates. 8 inch, 3 for 5c., 9 inch 2 for 9c. Milk Strainers 5c. Covered Sauce Pans, 2 qt. 8c, 4 qt. 10c. Rolling Pins 5c., Trays 20c., Sifters 6c. each, Tea and Coffee Pot, spout and strainer, 2c., Nutmeg Graters 2c., large square Loat Pans 5c., 8 lbs. Soda for 25c., 8 bars Big Soap for 25c.

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